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Application of:

ARHEART, Thane Aaron

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Group Art Unit No.: 3679

Customer No.: 23589

Examiner: Joshua T. Kennedy

Commissioner of Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated October 19, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests amendment and reconsideration of the above-identified application. As this Amendment places all claims in a condition for allowance and is presented within two months of October 19, 2005, Applicant requests entry of this Amendment or an Advisory Action.

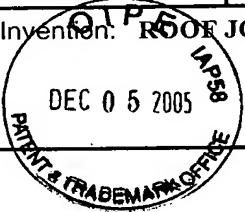
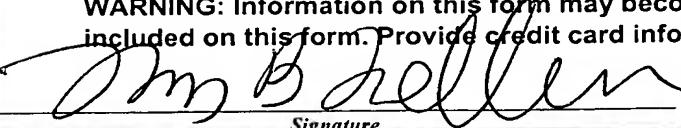
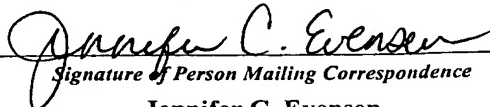
**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.

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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)</b>				Docket No. <b>34432</b>	
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27					
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
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